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INTRODUCTORY REMARKS

The applicant files this paper in response to the office action mailed on January 18, 2006. In light of these remarks, the applicant respectfully requests advancement of this application to allowance.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper